

**HOME LEARNING
PACKAGE
Grade 4 ELA**

Choose one option for each home learning day.

Reading: Choose an English book to read or listen to a book on Storyline Online then complete a reading response.

Writing: Use the writing prompt to write a quick write. Don't forget to use correct punctuation!

Reading Comprehension: Read and answer questions corresponding to the reading.

Check my teacher page for weblinks and examples of writing. 😊

Ms. Shaddick

Name: _____

My Reading Log



Become a super reader! Each day, read for 15 minutes. Once you're done reading, choose a question from the box. Write the number of the question in the box along with the answer to your question.

1. What is the problem and solution in the story?
2. Name the characters in the story.
3. If you were the author, how would you change the ending of the story?
4. Why did you choose to read this book?
5. If you change the setting of the story how would it change the story?
6. How did the main character in the story respond to the problem? How would you have responded to the problem if you were the main character?
7. What is the title of the story (or chapter)? Is this a good title? Why or why not?
8. Who is your favorite character and why? What are their character traits?
9. What is the main idea of the story?
10. Is there a lesson in this story? What is it and what did you learn from it?

Monday

Title: _____ **Author:** _____

Question #: _____

Answer: _____

Tuesday

Title: _____ **Author:** _____

Question #: _____

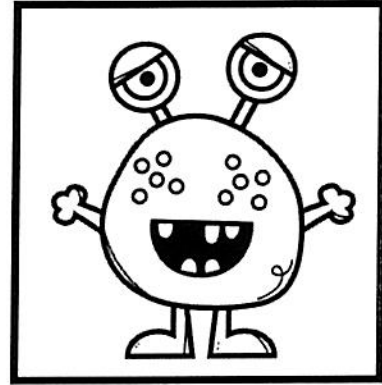
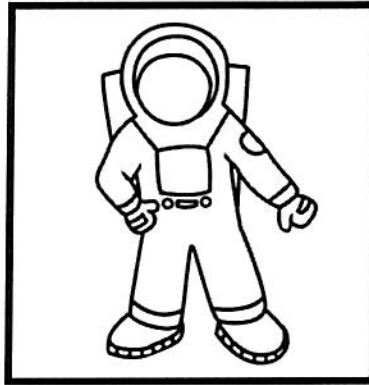
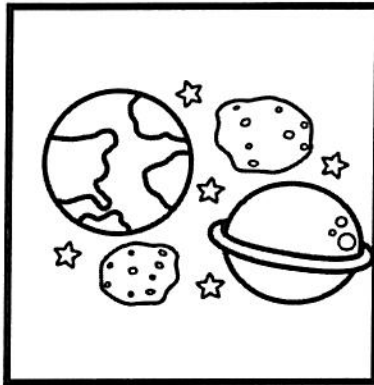
Answer: _____

Name _____

Narrative Writing

Space Adventure

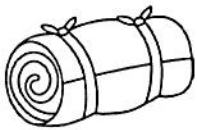
Write a story using the pictures.



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Summer Camp Post Card

Pretend that you are at summer camp. Write a postcard home describing your favorite summer camp activity. Explain why it is your favorite and use linking words (because, since, and, also).



Post Card



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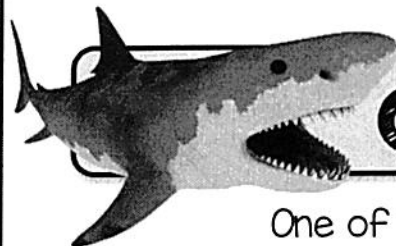
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Name _____

Date _____



Great White Sharks

One of the most feared animals in the world is the shark and the shark most people are afraid of is the great white shark. It gets its name from its white belly. The top of the great white is gray which helps it blend in with the rocky bottom of the ocean. Although some fish are bigger, like the whale shark, the great white can grow up to 20 feet long. Unlike the calm, slow whale shark that feeds on tiny fish and plants, the great white is speedy and aggressive. A great white's prey includes sea lions, seals, sea turtles and rays. They use their razor sharp teeth, not to chew, but to rip their prey into small pieces. They have hundreds of teeth that can grow up to three inches long. The great white does not have many predators in the ocean except for orcas and larger sharks. Humans, however, are its biggest threat. Sharks often get caught in fishing nets or humans kill them for their fins or teeth.

1. How do great white sharks hide from predators? _____

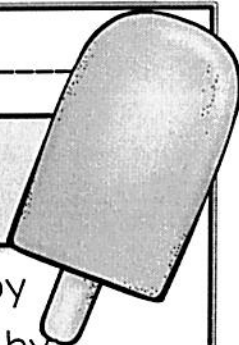
2. Name one way a great white is different from a whale shark.

3. How are humans harmful to great white sharks? _____

Name _____

Date _____

Popsicles!



Do you like popsicles? Did you know they were invented by a kid? Not only were they invented by a kid, but it happened by accident! One night in 1905, an 11 year old boy from California named Frank Epperson made a drink for himself by stirring some soda powder with a cup of water. Later, he left the drink outside and went to bed. With the stick still inside the cup, the drink froze during the cold night. When Frank woke up, he had a frozen drink on a stick!

Frank continued to make them for others and later started selling them. He called them *epsicles*. Later, his own children changed the name to *popsicles*. As you know, popsicles are still very popular today. The cherry popsicle, the most popular flavor, even has its own day. August 26th is National Cherry Popsicle Day.

1. What did Frank do *before* he went to bed that cold night?

2. Why is the popsicle called an "accidental invention"?

3. More than 100 years later, popsicle are still popular. Why do you think they are such a popular food? _____
